

# Gospel of John

## Study Questions

### Chapter 7

1. What group of people sought to kill Jesus? v. 1  
The Jews
2. What feast day is mentioned? v. 2  
Feast of tabernacles
3. What three phrases are mentioned in verses 6, 8, and 30?  
v. 6 My time is not yet come: but your time is always ready  
v. 8 For my time is not yet full come  
v. 30 His hour was not yet come.
4. What three attitudes are mentioned in verses 1 and 12?  
v. 1 Some sought to kill him.  
v. 12 Some said, he is a good man  
v. 12 Others said, Nay; but he deceiveth the people.
5. What great question was aroused when Jesus taught in the temple? v. 14, 15  
How knoweth this man letters, having never learned?
6. Give the different responses of the different groups.
  - a. Brothers v. 2-9  
3 His brethren therefore said unto him, Depart hence, and go into Judaea, that thy disciples also may see the works that thou doest.  
4 For there is no man that doeth anything in secret, and he himself seeketh to be known openly. If thou do these things, shew thyself to the world.  
5 For neither did his brethren believe in him.
  - b. Rulers v. 10-19  
11 Then the Jews sought him at the feast, and said, Where is he?  
15 And the Jews marveled, saying, How knoweth this man letters, having never learned?
  - c. Citizens v. 20-31 (20, 26)  
20 The people answered and said, Thou hast a devil: who goeth about to kill thee?  
30 Then they sought to take him: but no man laid hands on him, because his hour was not yet come.

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- 31 And **many of the people believed on him**, and said, When Christ cometh, will he do more miracles than these which this man hath done?
- d. Pharisees v. 32-34  
32 The Pharisees heard that the people murmured such things concerning him; and **the Pharisees and the chief priests sent officers to take him.**
- e. Superficial Response v. 40  
40 Many of the people therefore, when they heard this saying, said, **Of a truth this is the Prophet.**
- f. The Division v. 41-44  
41 Others said, **This is the Christ.** But some said, **Shall Christ come out of Galilee?**  
42 Hath not the scripture said, That Christ cometh of the seed of David, and out of the town of Bethlehem, where David was?  
43 So there was a division among the people because of him.  
44 And some of them would have taken him; but no man laid hands on him.
- g. Open Hostility v. 45-49  
45 Then came the officers to the chief priests and Pharisees; and they said unto them, **Why have ye not brought him?**  
47 Then answered them the Pharisees, **Are ye also deceived?**  
48 **Have any of the rulers or of the Pharisees believed on him?**  
49 **But this people who knoweth not the law are cursed.**
- h. Nicodemus v. 50-51  
51 **Doth our law judge any man, before it hear him, and know what he doeth?**
7. What did Jesus do on the last day of the feast? v. 37-39  
**Jesus stood and cried, saying, If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink. He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.**